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- \*RFPI shifted nighttime frequency to 7445; 15050 usage expanded
- \*WRN and more and more American stations disappearing from Astra satellite, including WOR
- \*Palau mostly relays R. Free Asia now; only two KHBN broadcasts are in Mandarin by Hong Kong church
- \*Manager of NBC, Papua New Guinea replaced by Prime Minister in political move; may endanger Japanese technical aid
- \*R. Australia usage of Darwin still delayed; one frequency in English planned for mid-May
- \*Christian Voice and HCJB both licensed by Australia; see DXLD 1-057 and 1-059
- \*R. Eureka International, New Zealand pirate, plans May 4 test
- \*R. New Zealand International new winter schedule effective May 6
- \*R. TV Malaysia network starts webcast, <http://www.radio1.com.my>
- \*R. Taipei International wants official monitors; reward a CD
- \*Esther Li leaving RKI after May 6; native speakers of English get only two-year contracts
- \*CRI claims relays via Brazil, but imaginary
- \*Tannu Tuva active on 6 MHz band; hear a clip at <http://www.intervalsignals.com>
- \*Kyrgyzstan believed heard on 5th harmonic; easier than fundamental?
- \*V. of Iran was clandestine in 1077 with different frequencies each day, probably random rather than per day of week
- \*Israel moved to 21 MHz for one English broadcast
- \*UAE Radio Dubai back on 4 frequencies each for English broadcasts
- \*V. of the Revolution of Tigre, Eritrea schedule
- \*R. Mogadishu, V. of the People, Somalia, well heard in England
- \*R. Mozambique heard back on SW, 90 meters
- \*R. Bunia, Congo DR clandestine reports staff members killed, ambush
- \*R. Ecclesia, Angola, still not started relay via Germany
- \*R. Sunshine starts May 6 via Germany
- \*V. of Croatia via Germany resumes English, Spanish news, odd times
- \*R. Maryja, Catholic station in Poland, schedule via Russia
- \*The non-commercial, non-communist, non-government, non-religious, non-musical, non-apolitical program, WOR 1078, P O Box 1684, Enid OK 73702 USA or [wghauser@hotmail.com](mailto:wghauser@hotmail.com) At our website latest schedules, DX programs, ham nets, Previously Owned Radio Market, plus a very large file of DX Listening Digests with much more about stories on WOR: <http://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/>
- \*Thanks for financial support: James Strader
- \*R. Radonezh, Russia, on new 6 MHz frequency
- \*V. of Russia extends space quiz contest deadline to June 12
- \*R. Ukraine International moves from 13 to 12 MHz, which is better
- \*R. Sweden did not move to 15 MHz May 1 as planned; Canada relay on 9755 [not 9795 as I said]
- \*Italy and Vatican still fighting over slectrosmog; see DXLD 1-056,

1-058, 1-059

- \*Digital tests via Bonaire still delayed, but on via Portugal
- \*BBC Radio 4 to broadcast Dawn Chorus around the world, May 6 on the half hour all day from 0430 UT. See [http://www.bbc.co.uk/nature/animals/dawn\\_chorus/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/nature/animals/dawn_chorus/)
- \*BBC Radio 4 guy wire maintenance at Droitwich 198 kHz longwave put it off the air daytimes through May 16; but Scotland still on
- \*Emerald Radio, Ireland, yearly specials on now via WWCR
- \*United Patriot Radio still heard on 12, 3 MHz, but poorly
- \*Why domestic commercial radio in the US is getting so bad: [http://www.salon.com/ent/feature/2001/04/30/clear\\_channel/index.html](http://www.salon.com/ent/feature/2001/04/30/clear_channel/index.html)
- \*Picayune-powered CHNX off lately, but to be back for anniversary special May 11-12, and limited-edition QSLs; 41 watts, G5RV antenna
- \*RCI reclaimed 5960, but transmitter has been down; back in May? QRM on \\ 9755 but reluctant to move
- \*DST in Mexico City supposed to start May 6, so XERMX one hour earlier, from 1200?
- \*Best time to DX Radio Casino, Costa Rica
- \*GBC Guyana back on 90m, off-frequency, all night
- \*R. Rumbos/Torbes, Venezuela, mixing product on 8 MHz band
- \*LPC, Gerillo, Peru, new station not fully identified
- \*unID on 5522 may be from Peru
- \*New Brazilian religious station expected on 6215
- \*R. Blandengue, South American pirate, reactivating this weekend
- \*R. Piranha Internacional, ditto, also plans comeback May 4-5
- \*Uruguayan broadcaster relayed by pirate on 7 MHz hamband
- \*LRA36, Antarctica schedule; well heard in Sweden
- \*Propagation outlook from Boulder May 1; flux range 180-130-180
- \*Standard disclaimer
- \*Glenn Hauser concluding World of Radio 1,078       ###